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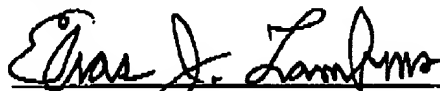
Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

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2. Amendment
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2001.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of 3 months from August 21, 2001 to November 21, 2001. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$890.


No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension and claims fees, estimated to be \$890, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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